

Proposed Bill No. 129

February Session, 2008

LCO No. 1109

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by: SEN. GAFFEY, 13th Dist.

AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE REMEDIATION OF FORMER BARITE MINES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the State Bond Commission be empowered to authorize the
- 2 issuance of bonds of the state in accordance with section 3-20 of the
- 3 general statutes, in principal amounts not exceeding in the aggregate
- 4 ten million dollars, the proceeds of which shall be used by the
- 5 Department of Environmental Protection for the purpose of providing
- 6 a grant-in-aid to the town of Cheshire for the remediation of the
- 7 hazardous conditions created by former barite mines.

Statement of Purpose:

To authorize bonds of the state for the remediation of the hazardous conditions created by former barite mines.